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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: INDIAN OCEAN TASK FORCE

REF: STATE 36172

INDIANS APPEAR TO BE CONTINUING TO AVOID DISCUSSING
INDIAN OCEAN AND DIEGO GARCIA WITH US BILATERALLY
ANY MORE THAN IS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY. WE WERE
UNABLE TO GIVE THEM EFFECTIVE ADVANCE NOTICE ON DIEGO
GARCIA OR MOST OTHER INDIAN OCEAN DEPLOYMENTS. UNDER
THE CIRCUMSTANCES WE WILL AVOID STIRRING THE WATER AND
WILL NOT TAKE ANY INITIATIVE TO INFORM THE GOI ABOUT
THE KITTY HAWK. FYI, THE INDIANS ALMOST CERTAINLY
KNEW ABOUT PLANS TO SEND THE KITTY HAWK INTO THE INDIAN

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OCEAN AT LEAST TWO WEEKS AGO AND MEA JOINT

SECRETARY (AMERICAS) TEJA ASKED AN EMBOFF WHETHER
REPORTS OF SUCH A PROJECTED VISIT WERE CORRECT AT THAT
TIME. THE EMBOFF SAID HE ANTICIPATED THERE WOULD BE
ANOTHER CARRIER VISIT IN THE NEXT MONTH OR SO AND
THAT SUCH VISITS WOULD OCCUR PERIODICALLY BUT COULD
NOT SPECIFICALLY IDENTIFY THE CARRIER AS BEING THE
KITTY HAWK. JEJA MERELY ACKNOWLEDGED THE REPLY AND
WENT ON TO OTHER SUBJECTS.
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